

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

LENA DIAS,

Plaintiff,

v.

COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL
SECURITY,

Defendant.

Case No. 1:20-cv-01577-SAB

ORDER RE STIPULATION FOR
VOLUNTARY REMAND PURSUANT TO 42
U.S.C. § 405(g)

(ECF No. 18)

Lena Dias (“Plaintiff”) seeks judicial review of a final decision of the Commissioner of Social Security (“Commissioner”) denying an application for disability benefits pursuant to the Social Security Act. (ECF No. 1.) On January 14, 2022, the parties filed a stipulation agreeing to a voluntary remand of this matter pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 405(g) for further administrative proceedings. (ECF No. 18.) Pursuant to the stipulation, the Appeals Council will instruct the ALJ to reevaluate the medical evidence, including, but not limited to, all medical-source opinion evidence concerning physical and mental impairments, and explain the persuasiveness given to the opinion evidence. (Id.) The parties further request that the Clerk of the Court be directed to enter a final judgment in favor of Plaintiff and against Defendant, reversing the final decision of the Commissioner. (Id.) The Court finds good cause exists to grant the parties’ stipulated request.

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Accordingly, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

1. The above-captioned action be remanded to the Commissioner of Social Security for further proceedings consistent with the terms of the stipulation for remand;
2. Judgment is entered in favor of Plaintiff Lena Dias and against Defendant Commissioner of Social Security; and
3. The Clerk of the Court is directed to close this action.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: **January 14, 2022**


UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE